Forecast For Northwest England
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Headline:
Windy with heavy rain and showers for Thursday.

Today:
A cloudy and wet start across the region with a band of heavy rain spreading eastwards during the morning. Largely dry and cloudy by midday, although blustery showers arriving during the afternoon. Feeling mild but windy with coastal gales. Maximum temperature 9 deg C (48 deg F).

Tonight:
Cloudy with blustery showers during the evening. Showers easing overnight leaving dry conditions with some clear spells. Clouds developing during the early hours with some rain arriving by dawn. Windy. Minimum temperature 5 deg C (41 deg F).

Friday:
Wet and windy with coastal gales on Friday. Outbreaks of rain, heavy at times arrive in the morning and persist throughout. Some dry breaks for the southern areas. Feeling mild. Maximum temperature 10 deg C (50 deg F).

Outlook for Saturday to Monday:
After a largely dry morning, a band of rain spreads across the region on Saturday and persists during Sunday. A mix of showers and sunshine for Monday. Mild throughout.

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